HE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE of Graffing

aber: 08/580,493
d: 1995 Dec 29
Philippe Rerne Appn. Number: 08/580,493

Appn. Filed: Philippe Berna Applicant:

Appn. Title: PROCESS FOR MAKING A VERSATILE CLAMPING DEVICE DESIGNED TO HOLD OBJECTS WITHOUT DAMAGING THEM, SUCH A

DEVICE AND ITS USE.

Examiner/GAU: David Bryant/3726

Molières-sur-Cèze, France, 2000, May 11, Thu

## REQUEST FOR FILE-WRAPPER-CONTINUING APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.62

Box FWC
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, District of Columbia 20231

Sir:
This is a request for filing a continuation application of the above completed pending application under 27 CFD 1.62 This Dule 62 continuing application. pending application under 37 CFR 1.62. This Rule 62 continuing application is being actually filed in the PTO during the pendency of the above application. Please use the specification (including the claims, drawings and abstract) of the above application and also use the Declaration therefrom.

Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment for this Rule 62 continuation application. I This Amendment submits some new drawings.

After entry of this Amendment, there will be no more than 3 independent claims and 20 total claims in this specification.

Enclosed is a submission letter to the Draftsperson of corrected sheets 1 and 2 of the drawings.

Enclosed is a petition for extending the period for response by one month (extension fee is \$55.00).

A verified statement to establish small entity status was enclosed for the above application and such status is still proper and desired.

Thus the filing fee for this Rule 52 Application will be \$345.00.

Enclosed is a check of \$400.00 for this amount plus the amount of the extension fee.

Enclosed is also a SASE with a receipt form to be dated and stamped for mailing to my address in France.

Submitted with deference. Hiliffe BERNA

Philippe Berna, Applicant Pro Se

Mailing Address: Mas Liotard - Les Brousses, 30410 Molières-sur-Cèze,

France; Phone and Fax Number: (33) 490 85 90 81

05/16/2000 SLUANG1 00000114 08580493

01 FC:231 02 FC:215

345.00 OP 55.00 OP